REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claim 33 has been rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Andis '616 and claim

34 has been rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Andis '616.

Claim 35 (Incorrectly number 36) has been objected to, but would be allowable if rewritten in

independent form.

Claim 33 has been amended to incorporate claim 35 and should now be allowed.

Claim 34 is now dependent on an allowable base claim and should be allowed.

Claim 35 has been cancelled.

It is believed with the amendments that the uniqueness of the instant invention is not disclosed

in the cited art.

Accordingly it is believed that the rejection and objection has been overcome by amending of

the claims and the remarks, and withdrawal thereof is respectfully requested.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the claims are in condition for allowance.

Reconsideration of the cause for rejections and objections is requested. Allowance of claims 33: and

34 is earnestly solicited.

No additional fee for claims is seen to be required. An extension is requested under 37 CFR

1.17(a) (1) for one month to June 1, 2005 for a fee of \$60.00.

If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

DENNIS W. BEECH Reg. No.: 35,443

Customer No. 042794

DWB/ab